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Representatives Vince Leach and Mark Finchem Warn Constituents of Major Fissure South of Arizona City

STATE CAPITOL, PHOENIX – Representative Vince Leach (R-11) and Representative Mark Finchem (R-11) today alerted their constituents to a 1.8-mile-long fissure in the earth located about 13 miles south of Arizona City on Arizona Trust Land.

The Arizona Geological Survey discovered the fresh fissure, which is up to 10 feet wide and up to 30 feet deep, and <u>captured drone footage of it</u>.

"Extreme caution should be exercised by anyone recreating south-southwest of Picacho Peak State Park, especially those operating off-road vehicles," said Representative Leach.

Please contact the Arizona Geological Survey for more information.

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